



The Tenderfoot Farmer

It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her shavings. His theory was that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as she was fed. The questions of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations.

It's only a "tenderfoot" farmer that would try such an experiment with a cow. But many a farmer feeds himself regardless of digestion and nutrition. He might almost as well eat shavings for all the good he gets out of his food. The result is that the stomach grows "weak" the action of the organs of digestion and nutrition are impaired and the man suffers the miseries of dyspepsia and the agonies of nervousness.

To strengthen the stomach, restore the activity of the organs of digestion and nutrition and brace up the nerves, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is an unfailing remedy, and has the confidence of physicians as well as the praise of thousands healed by its use.

In the strictest sense "Golden Medical Discovery" is a temperance medicine. It contains neither intoxicants nor narcotics, and is as free from alcohol as from opium, cocaine and other dangerous drugs. All ingredients printed on its outside wrapper.

Don't let a dealer delude you for his own profit. There is no medicine for stomach, liver and blood "just as good" as "Golden Medical Discovery."

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Mrs. Walter Shinn returned Friday evening from a short visit in Kansas City.

Mrs. F. M. Hord left Saturday for a visit in Osceola.

A Hearty Appetite

Is what most babies have, but it is of no benefit to them if they have worms. Be sure your baby is not troubled with them. Sure symptoms—always hungry, rings under the eyes, not gaining in weight and yellow complexion. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will expel all worms. It is a positive cure and reliable. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by Crenshaw and Young.

There was another small fire Friday afternoon. The residence of C. M. Houghton, 1621 Franklin avenue, caught and an alarm was turned in. The company responded with its usual alacrity and extinguished the blaze before any appreciable damage was done.

Coughs that are tight, or tickling, get quick and certain help from Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. On this account druggists everywhere are favoring Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. The tender leaves of a harmless lung-healing mountainous shrub give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Those leaves have the power to calm the most distressing cough, and to soothe and heal the most sensitive bronchial membrane, always demand Dr. Shoop's. It can with perfect freedom be given to even the youngest babes. Test it once yourself, and see! Sold by All Dealers.

Miss Nancy Wright left Saturday morning for Tonganoxie, Kansas, to spend the holidays.

Miss Tillie Bour spent Friday in Kansas City.

Looking One's Best.

It's a woman's delight to look her best, but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Listen! Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; makes the skin soft and velvety. It glorifies the face. Cures pimples, sore eyes, cold sores, cracked lips, chapped hands. Try it. 25c at Crenshaw & Young's.

William Wernwag after spending his vacation here left Friday night for Kansas City to resume his run between there and Jefferson City.

At any time and at all times Pine-salve Carbolic will be found just what is needed for burns, cuts and bruises. It is sold here by C. W. Loomis.

Joseph C. Graddy spent Monday in Kansas City.

James L. Kinkead was in Independence Monday on business.

A Cough Medicine

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is a regular cough medicine, a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. Good for easy coughs, hard coughs, desperate coughs. If your doctor endorses it for your case, take it. If not, don't take it. Never go contrary to his advice.

We publish our formulas. We banish sleepless nights from our medicines. We urge you to consult your doctor.

The dose of Ayer's Pills is small, only one at bedtime. As a rule, laxative doses are better than cathartic doses. For constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick-headaches, they cannot be excelled. Ask your doctor about this.

Made by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Wentworth Defeated All-Stars.

The Wentworth first team defeated an all-star aggregation Monday afternoon in the academy drill hall by a score of 49 to 31. The game was by no means an easy one for the cadets and it was only the brilliant work of Lill that earned for them the victory.

The all-stars were Will Steele, Nigg, Les Roberts, Farmer and Edgar Shuster.

Blue Lodge Elects Officers.

Lexington Lodge No. 149 A. F. and A. M. elected the following officers for the ensuing year at a regular meeting Monday evening:

Mr. C. McFadin, Worshipful Master.

W. J. Bandon, Senior Warden.

G. C. Marquis, Junior Warden.

L. C. Yates, Treasurer.

H. Sinauer, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Kinkead of Higginsville visited Sunday with Mr. Kinkead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reid Kinkead. Mr. Kinkead returned home Monday morning while his wife remained here.

Miss Lottie Chambers left for Kansas City Friday evening to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McNeel returned Tuesday from Odessa where they were called by the illness and death of Mrs. McNeel's step-mother, Mrs. W. C. Goodwin. E. F. Mollenkamp was in Kansas City Tuesday on business. W. P. Callaway spent Tuesday in Kansas City.

Farm Land for Sale.

320 acre tract, also 104 acres, 5 and 6 miles south of Lexington, belonging to the estate of the late Joseph F. Smith. This property is on and near the Warrensburg road.

L. R. Smith, Executor, 608 Bryant Bldg., Kansas City. 11-11 43W

Joseph Kuehls of Odessa was in Lexington Monday.

Mrs. T. B. Ramsey and niece, little Miss Elizabeth Graves, went to Kansas City Tuesday morning.

Miss White Lockhart and Miss Florence Snyder came down from Wellington Monday for a short stay.

"The best Painters in town use the only strictly pure Paint—Mound City Co's Horse Shoe Brand. Crenshaw & Young.

Clem Tyree returned Monday evening from Kansas City, where he had accompanied his wife and son, who have gone to Shelbyville for the holidays.

Miss May Peak spent Tuesday in Kansas City.

For rheumatic pains and twinges, pains in the neck of the bladder and in the joints, etc., used by a great many people everywhere. Pine-les can be depended upon—they are an excellent preparation for kids. Sold by C. W. Loomis.

Walter B. Waddell, accompanied by his nurse, Miss Brookhart, went to Kansas City Tuesday to consult his physicians.

Mrs. W. S. Peacock and son, Walter, went to Higginsville Monday morning for a short visit.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are urinary disorders, weak back and backache, rheumatism and rheumatic pains and twinges, pains in the groin etc. There is nothing as good for kidney and bladder troubles as DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. You may depend upon them to give entire satisfaction. They are antiseptic, act promptly and soothe pain. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. Henry Rinehart of Columbia arrived Monday evening to spend the holidays with her sisters, Miss Lee Meng and Mrs. J. F. Winn.

Hugh Rogers came home from Columbia Tuesday to spend the holidays.

Many people have found the new remedy for the kidneys, Pineules, to be an excellent remedy, as they quickly relieve all forms of backache, rheumatism, rheumatic pains, and urinary diseases. We know of nothing better and we recommend them. Sold by C. W. Loomis.

Mrs. W. C. Goodwin Dead.

Mrs. Josie Renick Goodwin, wife of Dr. W. C. Goodwin, died Sunday morning at ten o'clock at her home in Odessa. Mrs. Goodwin had been an invalid for several years and her death came after much suffering. It had been expected at any time for almost a month.

Mrs. Goodwin was about sixty years old. She was the step-mother of Mrs. Henry McNeel of this city and had many relatives and friends in this county.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon. Burial was in Mt. Tabor cemetery.

Railroad Officials Here.

Cornelius Vanderbilt, who has recently purchased stock in the Missouri Pacific, with a special train load of officials, secretaries, stenographers, porters, chefs etc., was in Lexington Friday night. Mr. Vanderbilt was making a trip of inspection over the system.

Owing to the cold weather, Mr. Vanderbilt did not have the opportunity of coming up town and contented himself with what his servants provided in the way of refreshment. He did not even telephone to any of his friends.

The party left Saturday morning over the river route.

Circuit Court.

There was very little in the circuit court Saturday except the entertaining of motions.

In the case of E. M. Davis et al. vs. A. M. Lyman et al. the defendant's motion to set aside judgment was sustained and defendant was given until December 21 to file answer.

Jos. L. Young, Elmer E. Young and John C. Greer were allowed \$4,500 for their services as trustees of the estate of Grove Young deceased, from the time they assumed their duties to the date of their last report. They filed a bond for \$30,000.

Yes, the Christmastide is upon us. This fact was pleasantly and tastefully brought to the attention of the publishers of the Intelligencer Tuesday when remembrances appropriate and suitable came from the ever generous and thoughtful Gustav Haerle. Mr. Haerle's gift this year is extraordinarily mellow and associated with historical significance. It was taken from a cask purchased some twenty years ago, being at that time seven years old and bearing the name of Harper. It was lost in the cellar of the water pipes of the City Hotel were broken in the winter of 1890 flooding the adjoining basements. It also survived a subsequent fire. It was discovered several weeks ago barely in time to be saved from ravaging rodents which had already eaten the label. It was therefore necessary to go to the trouble and expense of getting a new stamp from the government before taking the contents from the cask. This Mr. Haerle did and he also passed up a nice profit by deciding to devote the contents to Christmas cheer for his friends. The Intelligencer with gratitude and appreciation acknowledges the kindness of Mr. Haerle.

Fine Watch Repairing

Watches are subject to almost as many physical ailments as the human body and require the same skill in their treatment. The mechanism of the watch is extremely delicate and it takes years of careful study and experience to be able to know and properly treat them. I have now been at the watch bench fifty-six years and there are now in this county customers whose work I have done for fifty years. If you have diamonds to reset or jewelry to repair take them to George P. Venable.

A nice line of Ladies' and Gents' watches to select from at A. Egle.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

Made from Pure Grape Cream of Tartar

Surpasses every other leavening agent in making healthful, delicious food

NO ALUM

READ THE LABEL
Buy only baking powder whose label indicates cream of tartar

Expression Recital.

The pupils of the school of expression of Central college gave their annual Christmas recital Monday evening in Murrell auditorium. In spite of the cold weather a large and appreciative audience greeted the participants.

The entire program was of a high order and, though according to custom there were no responses to encores, the listeners were enthusiastic in demonstrating their approval of every number. Each reader was so conscientious, so well trained and so capable that individual comment is unnecessary.

The program follows:

Callis.....Wm. Allen White
Miss Maude Gibson
Judas Iscariot.....Shelby Mathers
Miss Nettie Marvin
What Wm. Henry Did.....J. L. Harbour
Miss Kathlene Rucker
The Heart of Old Hickory.....
.....W. A. Dromgoole
Miss Anna McZentmeyer
A Christmas Dinner on the Wing.....
.....W. H. Murray
Miss Josephine Shelton
The Trial of Bryan Fairfax.....
.....Maud Wilder Goodwin
(From "White Aprons")
Miss Clara Hughes

A Literary Analysis of American Humor.

Mr. Low claims, in effect, that farce and not comedy is the measure of American humorous appreciation; and that "a fine discernment of the absurd" is rare among us as compared with what may, perhaps, be summed up as a boisterous recognition of the incongruous. And doubtless he is right. There is certainly, for instance, a marked difference between our own and the English method of presenting the humor of those odd examples of personality that we call "characters." We in America are neither poor in queer types nor backward in exploiting them. But it is our literary habit to emphasize their queeriness and let their normal humanness (if it is lucky enough to get into the picture) serve as background; whereas your Englishman, in a like case, will nine times out of ten go at it the other way about and, by placing their essential humanity in the foreground, leave the absurdity of their oddness to dawn laughably upon a "finer discernment." It is only fair to say in our own defense, however, that if we are somewhat slow at learning to practise the subtler method, we seem to be making progress in esteeming it. We have long, to cite a simple case, given a ready appreciation to W. W. Jacobs, who may be described in this regard as writing for beginners.—J. G. Kerfoot, in January Everybody's Magazine.

Which Book Shall I Send You?
No. 1 On Dyspepsia No. 4 For Women
No. 2 On the Heart No. 5 For Men
No. 3 On the Kidneys No. 6 On Rheumatism

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